

# Society

**T**HIS being the last day of July, and a good get-away day, the week-end is dull in Washington. At their summer home in Beverly the President and his family are again assembled, with their ideal yachting trip a thing of the past. Miss Taft, wife of the guest of a schoolmate in Altoona, Pa., has returned to Beverly. Newport will see a positive awakening this week, with dances, cotillions, and innumerable dinner parties. Bar Harbor probably has been the gayest spot of all for several weeks, and will continue to be that. Among the entertainers of the week was Mrs. William F. Draper, who emerged from her mourning sufficiently to be hostess at a smart dinner company for Miss Agnes Carpenter, of Boston. Mrs. Draper and her debutante daughter, Miss Margaret Draper, of this city, are spending their summer at Bar Harbor, instead of going to Europe. The fact that Mrs. Draper has given this dinner party, and is spending the summer in the Draper cottage at Bar Harbor, in the very heart of gayeties, is taken to mean that she will not entirely exclude herself and her attractive young daughter from society the coming season. Miss Draper was presented at a beautiful cotillion, when her father was taken fatally ill, and her ball was the last function at which she appeared here. Probably no young woman ever had such elaborate plans made for her how to society as had Miss Draper, and it was particularly sad that she had to withdraw from the society which she had just entered. Mrs. Oliver Cromwell, whose daughter was thrown into mourning by the death of her father, just on the eve of her debut, is doing much the same thing for Miss Cromwell in the cottage which she has leased on the North Shore for the season. They are also having their new house here put in readiness, and will see something of society this season.

The midsummer visit of Gov. and Mrs. Hughes to Mr. Charles Henry Butler, while on their house-hunting trip, was a pleasant prologue to their removal here in the fall. They dined each evening at the Chevy Chase Club, and there they met all of the stay-at-homes of their circle, whom they will be likely to see much of next winter. Both Gov. and Mrs. Hughes made many friends during their short stay. They are the youngest couple in the Supreme Court circle, and instead of having a grown-up family, with grandchildren about them, they have a little family of young children. Mrs. Hughes has a girlish figure, and is both petite and young looking. She made some calls Thursday afternoon, and was very attractive in a gown of soft white marquisette with tunic drapery of the new blue shade of chiffon cloth. With this she wore a large white hat with soft black plumes. The governor wore a suit of white, with a Panama hat, and in their electric they looked the typical summer visitors. They intend to build a house to suit them.

Mrs. Marshall, wife of Gen. W. L. Marshall, and Mrs. Russell Harrison, each with her young daughter, returned from Atlantic City and spent last week at their homes here. They will leave this evening for the White Sulphur Springs to spend a month or six weeks in that center of Southern gayety. Miss Harrison spent a few days of the week with Miss Anna Porter, at her country place. Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Marshall were girlhood friends when their fathers, the late Senator Colquhoun, of Georgia, and the late Senator Saunders, of Nebraska, were in the United States Senate. They made their social debuts together, attended each other at their weddings, and presented their daughters to Washington society together after a long separation and many years spent between times in various parts of the country. This is only one of the charms of Washington society. The wheel of fate revolves in such a way as to bring many young friends back here, after years of separation, to enjoy their mature life together.

The summer is a particularly interesting one in political matters, and every day there is news of the return or failure to return of Representatives and Senators, all prospective more or less, but for the most part, correct. In the excitement of the summer campaign in Nebraska, it is interesting to notice the name of Mr. Charles L. Saunders, son of former Senator Saunders, who was

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MRS. YOUNG.  
Wife of Lieut. Gen. S. B. M. Young, retired.

also the war governor of Nebraska, as a candidate for Congress from his father's old district, for his father was a Representative before he was Senator. Mr. Saunders, who is a brother of Mrs. Russell Harrison, is a bachelor and one of the most popular men of his State. He was well known in Washington society during the Harrison administration, and during his father's regime as Senator. He also visited his sister last season, coming on here for the large reception given by Mrs. Harrison for her daughter.

The return of Mrs. Joseph Sibley to the official circle is a matter of great pleasure to her very large circle of old friends in Washington. Only a few years ago Representative and Mrs. Sibley were among the foremost entertainers here, and were in constant demand as guests at dinners and other functions. Since his retirement from official life, Mr. Sibley has maintained a winter home in Washington, but they have never taken so active a part in social affairs. Mr. Sibley's recent nomination for Congress assures their return to the Congressional circle in Washington.

The visit of the Secretary of War and Mrs. Dickinson to the port of Honolulu en route to the Orient was made at an ideal time. The steamship *Siberia* arrived, bringing the Secretary and Mrs. Dickinson, Brig. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, U. S. A., and Mrs. Edwards, and Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson. In honor of the occasion the two cruisers, the *Thetis*, and all the water craft about were in gala attire. The Secretary was met by a delegation of civilians, and by Col. Walter S. Schuyler, Fifth Cavalry; Capt. Moor N. Falls, depot quartermaster at Honolulu; Rear Admiral Corwin P. Rees, U. S. N., and many others of the service. The Royal Hawaiian Band played, and the visitors were bedecked with leis, which formed pleasant welcome for them. The Secretary and Gen. Edwards went on a tour of inspection of the posts and forts, including Pearl Harbor and the coast artillery fortifications of Diamond Head. The women of the

party were entertained by Mrs. E. E. Winslow, Mrs. M. N. Falls, Mrs. Sidney Ballou, Mrs. P. A. Waldron, Mrs. Gartley, Mrs. Chapman, and Mrs. Humphreys. An informal reception was held in the parlor of Youngs Hotel, after which the party were motored to various places of interest, including the Pali Maunaloa and Punchbowl.

Luncheon for thirty was served at Waikiki, where Mrs. Corwin P. Rees and Princess Kawananakoa joined the party, which also included Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson and Mrs. Walter P. Cutting. During the afternoon the ladies visited the aquarium, later taking tea with former Gov. Cleghorn at his home, "Alahaua." The Secretary's party meanwhile visited the naval station at Pearl Harbor, from which place motors were taken for a visit to the cavalry station at Leleia, where the acting governor, E. A. Mott-Smith, Judge Sidney Ballou, Col. Walter S. Schuyler, Gen. Edwards, and others. At Schofield Barracks a salute of seventeen guns was fired in honor of Secretary Dickinson by two squadrons of the Fifth Cavalry stationed there. A visit was made to the proposed site for the cavalry post. After review at the Leleia reservation, the officers of the post entertained the Secretary and his party at a buffet luncheon at the officers' clubhouse.

Washington society is very much interested in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Gladys Kerens, daughter of Col. Richard C. Kerens, United States Ambassador to Austria-Hungary, to Mr. George H. Colket, of Philadelphia. The announcement was made in Vienna yesterday. It did not come as much of a surprise in Philadelphia, as Mr. Colket's friends have known for some time that he was attentive to Miss Kerens, whom he met several years ago at a dance while attending the Hill Preparatory School at Potomac. Miss Kerens' home is in St. Louis. She has made much of an impression socially in Vienna. Mr. Colket is a son of the late George H. Colket, of Philadelphia, who was for many years president of the Huntington and Broad Top Mountain Railroad Company. He was graduated from Yale in 1897, and is now in his senior year as a law student at the University of Pennsylvania. Tristram C. Colket, member of a brokerage firm, is a brother of Mr. Colket. The former said yesterday that a cablegram announcement was the first official tidings he had received of the engagement. Mr. George Colket is at present in Vienna. He is a member of the Raquet Club of Philadelphia. Miss Kerens visited Miss Mary McKee in New York before going to Vienna. Last February she went for a visit with her brother, Mr. Vincent Kerens, to Italy. Ambassador Kerens has leased the Kolowrat Palace, in Vienna. His wealth and social position as American Ambassador have given the young woman entrance to the most prominent society circles in the Austrian capital. The attention of Prince Schoenberg, of Saxony, during the time Miss Kerens was staying at Hot Springs, Va., with her father, had been whispered that the prince had cabled to Saxony for permission to marry her. The prince denied this and said that he had only a friendly acquaintance with Miss Kerens. Mr. Kerens was a member of the Republican national committee from Missouri, and more than once candidate for United States Senator. Mr. and Mrs. Kerens were well known here during the Harrison administration.

Rear Admiral Silas Terry, U. S. N., and Mrs. Terry, with their daughter, Miss Eleanor Terry, left last evening for Narragansett Pier. Miss Terry will stop over in New London for a few days to visit Mrs. Stillson Hutchins.

Miss Anna Porter and her brother, Mr. Paul Porter, and her sister, Mrs. William Payne Meredith, will leave for New York to-day and will sail for Europe on Tuesday for a two months' stay. Miss Porter will be joined in New York by her brother-in-law and sister, from St. Louis, and some relatives of her brother-in-law, making a party of twelve. Mrs. Porter and her other children will remain at their beautiful country place, near Manassas, throughout the summer. The youngest of her five daughters, Miss Elsa Porter, will be among next season's debutantes. She completed her school this spring, and is the most attractive of Mrs. Porter's daughters. Her sister, Miss Hilda Porter, very little older, will probably make her debut this season also, although it depends entirely upon her health. Miss Elsa Porter was at school at Bryn Mawr, Mrs. Finch's in New York, and several other fashionable schools for some years past. The family will return to Washington late in the fall and take a house, but will not be in their old home, in Vermont avenue, where Miss Anna Porter made her debut two years ago and where the wedding of her older sister and Mr. Meredith took place last year.

Mr. Charles Henry Butler will leave here to-morrow for his summer home, at Yonkers, N. Y., where he will join Mrs. Butler, who has been there for some time. Before returning to their Washington home they will make visits on the North Shore of Massachusetts among Washington friends at their summer cottages.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Ray left yesterday for a month's stay at Ocean City, Md. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ray's sister, Miss Lillian Bond.

Miss Bessie Walton, of Capitol Hill, is visiting Miss Ada Madore at Cumberland, Md., for several weeks.

Mrs. E. A. Kimball has gone to spend her vacation with her niece, Miss Emily W. Dana, at Falmouth, Me., on Casco Bay.

Mr. Justice Lorton and Mrs. Lorton, who are at Virginia Hot Springs, entertained a large party at supper Friday evening, following the German, in the Japanese room of the Homestead.

Mrs. James K. Polk has returned to this city from Norfolk, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Leland Boush.

Mrs. Herbert Wadsworth, of Washington, is visiting friends at Fort Riley, Kans. She will be joined there early in the week by Gen. Robert Shaw Oliver and his daughter, Miss Marion Oliver. They will proceed to Mexico for their proposed horseback trip in that country. Mrs. Wadsworth recently made a world's record on horseback for a woman, going 212 miles of actual riding in 15 hours and 17 minutes, at her summer home in New York.

The Secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission and Mrs. Edward A. Moseley are spending the summer at Newburyport, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hays Hammond have returned to East Gloucester, Mass., where they are spending the summer, after a brief stay in Chicago, where they went to attend a wedding.

Surgeon Gen. Stokes, U. S. N., and Mrs. Stokes attended the graduating exercises of the Hospital Corps Training School last Monday, when Dr. Stokes delivered the address.

Mrs. Williams, widow of Col. Charles F. Williams, U. S. M. C., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Stearns at her home, in Thirtieth street, has changed her residence to the Marine Barracks, Navy Yard gate, where she will reside with her son, Lieut. Charles F. Williams.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Reynolds Hayden, U. S. N., and Mrs. Hayden are entertaining Miss Cora Lutz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Lutz, of Leesburg, Va., at their home at Indian Head, Md.

The piazzas and lawns of the Chevy Chase Club were well filled every evening during the week, many informal dinners being given. Mr. and Mrs. Granville R. Fortescue, Le Roy Tuttle, Basil Mills, John Sidney Webb, and E. S. Theall were some of those entertaining friends in this delightful way.

Miss Mary Harlow is visiting Miss Helen Sterrett, in Charleston, W. Va., for several weeks.

Capt. Charles R. Howland, Twenty-first Infantry, on duty in the office of the

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Judge Advocate General of the army, is spending a month's leave in the Adirondacks.

Mrs. Frank L. Denny, wife of Col. Denny, U. S. M. C., who, with her daughter, Miss Esther Denny, has been spending the summer months in the Adirondack Mountains, has returned to this city for a few days.

Miss Taylor Jones, M. D., of this city, is visiting Mrs. Patterson, of Fort Banks, Boston.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Richardson will go to Virginia Hot Springs some time this week for a stay of several weeks at the Homestead.

Lieut. and Mrs. Williams, who have been visiting in this city, have returned to their home in Fort Riley, Kans.

Miss Charlotte Morris has gone to Charleston, W. Va., where she is the guest of Miss Woodman.

Miss Eugenia Boule is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Boule, in Martinsburg, W. Va.

Lieut. Commander and Mrs. T. A. Kearney, who have been residing at the Westmoreland, will move into their new apartments in the Dresden next week.

Mrs. Harry Sanderson Mulliken, formerly Miss Elsie Marsteller, of this city, and well known in army circles, is the guest of Mrs. J. J. Ryan, wife of Capt. Ryan, U. S. A., at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt. Mr. Mulliken is at present stationed in the famous mining camp at Durango, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Upshur Moorehead have closed their home in Chevy Chase and have gone to Atlantic City, where they will be guests at the Brighton Hotel for probably three weeks.

Lieut. Col. William C. Langitt has recently taken the old Rittenhouse residence, at Twenty-eighth and I streets.

Brig. Gen. Henry Sharpe, U. S. A., and Mrs. Sharpe left yesterday for Kingston, N. Y., where they will remain two weeks. Later they will go to Canada for several weeks. Gen. Sharpe will return to this city about September 1, while Mrs. Sharpe will make a series of visits, returning to Washington in October.

Mrs. William P. Draper entertained at dinner Friday evening at her villa at Bar Harbor. Among her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lane Eno, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hennen Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schelling, Mrs. John J. Emery, Mrs. S. D. Hutchinson, Miss Agnes Carpenter, Mr. George B. Dorr, Mr. Frederick May, and Mr. John Howe. Miss Carpenter was the honor guest at the dinner.

Mrs. Sladen, wife of Capt. Frederick W. Sladen, U. S. A., with their children, will spend the remainder of the summer at Belmar, N. J. Capt. Sladen was to have sailed for the Philippines August 5, but the orders having been revoked, he will continue at his present post here.

Miss Florence Stuart is the guest of Mrs. C. W. Davis, of Fort Strong, Boston.

Mrs. William P. Potter, with Miss Potter, has gone to Lake George for the remainder of the summer months. During their absence Rear Admiral Potter, U. S. N., is occupying an apartment in Stoneleigh Court.

Mrs. Williams, wife of Col. John R. Williams, U. S. A., is building a new house on R street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, which will be ready for occupancy in the autumn.

Mrs. Madison, the wife of Lieut. Zachariah H. Madison, U. S. N., is spending the summer months at Jamestown, R. I. Lieut. Madison is attached to the War College at Newport.

Maj. John A. Dapray, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. Dapray and their young daughter are among the recent arrivals at Atlantic City.

Commander William Kilburn, U. S. N., and Mrs. Kilburn, are spending a while in Atlantic City.

Goring Bliss, son of Brig. Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, U. S. A., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Borden at their summer home on Point Salubrious, Chaumont, N. Y. Mr. Bliss will sail on Mr. Borden's boat, *Latonka*, during the coming cruise of the Crescent Yacht Club at Kingston.

Lieut. C. L. Corbin, stationed at Fort McHenry, Md., has applied for a six-months' leave of absence in order to see how he likes filling a high-salaried position with a mining company.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Burnham, who are making their home in Paris for two years, have gone to Interlaken, Switzerland, for the summer.

Gen. J. M. Bell, U. S. A., and Mrs. Bell have Gen. and Mrs. C. A. Colledge as their guests for several weeks at their summer home, in New London, Conn.

Miss Griffith, daughter of Capt. Emerson Griffith, U. S. A., retired, who has been the guest of Mrs. Charles F. Williams, at the Marine Barracks, navy yard, has returned to her home, in Westchester, Pa.

Lieut. James Franklin, U. S. N., and Mrs. Franklin are spending several weeks at Hot Springs, Va.

Mrs. Hall, wife of Brig. Gen. William P. Hall, U. S. A., is visiting in Chelsea, N. J., for the summer.

Mrs. Roscoe Franklin Dillen, wife of Lieut. Dillen, U. S. N., is visiting in Bay View, Jamestown, R. I.

Mrs. Nash, wife of Dr. Francis S. Nash, U. S. N., and Miss Caroline Nash are spending some time at Chelsea, N. J.

Mrs. Benjamin Held and her children are spending some time in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Rappaport and daughter Muriel will soon go to Ocean View, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Rush B. Lincoln, wife of Lieut. Lincoln, Second United States Infantry, is in Gettysburg, Pa., where she is a guest at the Eagle Hotel.

Rear Admiral William G. Buehler, U. S. N., and Mrs. Buehler are among the army and navy people spending the summer months at Hot Springs, Va.

Mrs. Lenihan, wife of Capt. Michael J. Lenihan, Twenty-fifth Infantry, U. S. A., and the Misses Lenihan are staying at the Allen cottage, Jamestown, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gans, who are spending several weeks at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City, will return to Washington about the middle of August.

Col. Thomas W. Symons, U. S. A., re-

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tired; Mrs. Symons, Miss Margaretta Symons, and Mr. Thomas Symons, Jr., are spending the summer, as usual, at Cazenovia, N. Y.

Mr. H. Kohlmeier and family have returned from Pine Point, Md., where they have been spending the past few weeks. They had as guests while there Mrs. M. Duerst and Master Donnel Sweetman.

Mrs. Freeman, who has been visiting Capt. and Mrs. Cabanis at Fort Ontario, has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. Lawrence Heap, the wife of Pay Inspector S. L. Heap, U. S. N., and her daughter, Miss Pansy Bloomer, are visiting at Buena Vista Springs, Pa.

Maj. George W. Evans, chief disbursing officer, Department of the Interior, and Mrs. Evans have gone to their usual vacation place, The Turk's Head Inn, Rockport, Mass., where they will remain for about six weeks. Miss Marion Evans, with other friends, will leave on Monday for Atlantic City, where she will spend the month of August, after which she will make a visit in New Rochelle, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin H. Williams and their two children have gone to Berryville, Va., where they will spend the remainder of the summer at their former home, near there.

Mrs. Wood, wife of Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, is temporarily occupying Maj. Slocum's quarters at Governors Island while Gen. Bell's former quarters are being put in order for them at Fort Myer. Va. Miss Louisa, their daughter, has gone to Cape Cod, Mass., for the season.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor are the guests of friends in Fort Leavenworth on their way from this city to Denver.

Mrs. W. Tally Martin and children have gone to Greenville, S. C., where they will remain during the month of August.

Mrs. Leon A. Matile, of this city, who is the guest of her son, Lieut. George A. Matile, at Oswego, N. Y., entertained the ladies of the post at bridge on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rogers Beach, who have been visiting here during the past week, have returned to their home in Mount Vernon, N. Y., with Miss Elva Meredith Teatman, who will be their guest for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Clagett, of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John K. King, 1015 I street southeast.

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Reginald F. Nicholson have left here for the Pacific Coast, where Admiral Nicholson is making a tour of inspection.

Miss Harry Todd, daughter of the late Prof. Harry Todd, U. S. N., has arrived at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., for a week's stay.

Miss Catherine Thatcher and Miss Ruth Ashby, of 1506 Thirtieth street north, are spending the summer with their aunt, Miss Sadie Ashby, of Blumont, Va.

Lieut. and Mrs. Raymond F. Fowler are visiting Mrs. Fowler's mother, Mrs. Sylvanus, at the Elmhurst. They will leave Washington Wednesday for Lieut. Fowler's home, in Nebraska, for a visit before going to the latter's station.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Reed and their son Fred leave the city to-day for a month's stay in Atlantic City.

Mr. Frank E. Buckland, who has been touring Italy, the Dalmatian coast, Germany, writes to a Washington friend as follows regarding the Oberammergau Passion Play, which he and his wife recently witnessed: "For eight hours we were held spellbound by this tragic performance. The spectacle was magnificent, the costumes were marvellously beautiful, the singing was of a high order, and the chorus sublime. All the characters are good, and many of them would put recognized professionals to shame. Judas is great, although the sympathy of the vast audience was against him. Anton Lang, as Christ, was as near perfect as mortal man could make it. Mary and the other women bore well their respective parts. The stage management, the tableaux, and the posing of the performers were most artistic."

Mr. and Mrs. Buckland, after spending a few weeks in Munich, will go to Lucerne and other Swiss resorts, and will take steamer at Genoa for home some time in September.

## WEDDINGS-ENGAGEMENTS

The marriage of Miss Lucie Chichester Compton to Dr. Taylor Orrin Timberlake will take place on Wednesday morning in St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Rev. Frederick Peter, of Epiphany Church, officiating in the absence of the rector. The bride will be attended by Miss Eleanor Fields, of Alexandria, and will be given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. W. B. Chichester. Mr. J. C. Bell will be the best man, and the wedding will be a simple one. The bride will wear her traveling suit, and Dr. Timberlake and his bride will leave immediately after the ceremony for a long trip. Both the bride and bridegroom are descended from distinguished old Virginia and Maryland families. The marriage is the outcome of one of the romances of George Washington University, which has a reputation for match making.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ambler Brooke, of Virginia, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lucy Morton, to Passed Assistant Paymaster Lewis Wise Jennings, U. S. N.

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New York, will be married to Lawrence L. Gillespie, son of Maj. Gen. George L. Gillespie, of this city, at Newport, R. I., on September 6, at Trinity Church. Miss Sherman and her fiancé were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lehr, Friday evening, in Newport.

**GEORGETOWN.**

A large party of Georgetown people will go to Chicago for the Knights Templars Conclave next month. Among the thirty-one who will leave on August 7 on the pilgrimage of Potomac Commandery, No. 3, K. T., are W. H. Harrison, eminent commander; Mrs. Harrison, Dr. M. Hunter, generalissimo; Mrs. Hunter, Rev. Charles L. Pate, captain general; Mrs. Pate, J. R. Huddleston, senior warden; Daniel Johnson, past commander; Mrs. Johnson, C. A. Cornwell, Mrs. Cornwell, H. W. Fisher, Mrs. Fisher, John Wagner, past commander; Mrs. Wagner, Miss Wagner, Lem Towers, Jr., past commander; Miss Julia Towers, Charles T. Lindsey, past commander; Abraham McCoy, George E. Corson, past commander; W. A. Wadley, past commander; George A. Wise, James Greaves, Mrs. Greaves, Miss Elery, E. J. Hulse, Orient commander; C. A. Quinn, Alexandria, Va.; Mr. Whit, Alexandria, Va.; M. E. Beckman, and Mrs. Beckman.

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